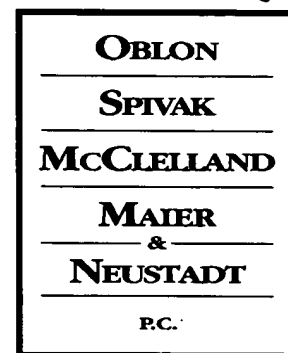




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In response to the Office Action dated January 13, 2005, Applicant elects, without traverse, Group I, Claims 9-12, for further examination on the merits in the present application.

Accordingly, an early action on the merits is respectfully requested.

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